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Novorossiysk

port

Following legend to the sketches of the port area on pages 2 and 3. Nos. 1-11 apply to Sketch No. 2, and Nos. 12-18, to Sketch No. 1.

1. Repair shop. 25X1
2. Pier where cement is loaded. 25X1
3. Pier where coal is loaded. 25X1
4. This pier is in a destroyed condition and is unserviceable. 25X1
5. This pier is in a destroyed condition and is unserviceable. 25X1
6. This pier is in a destroyed condition and is unserviceable. 25X1
7. The eastern side of this pier is used for passenger traffic. Some commercial goods are also handled here. The western side of this pier is used for loading grain. The grain is loaded directly from elevators situated along the pier. A floating crane with a capacity of between 30 and 40 tons was berthed alongside the pier. 25X1
8. This pier remains in a destroyed condition and is unserviceable. 25X1
9. Pier where oil is loaded. 25X1
10. Pier used by fishing vessels. 25X1
11. The wreck of a cargo vessel is visible at this position. 25X1

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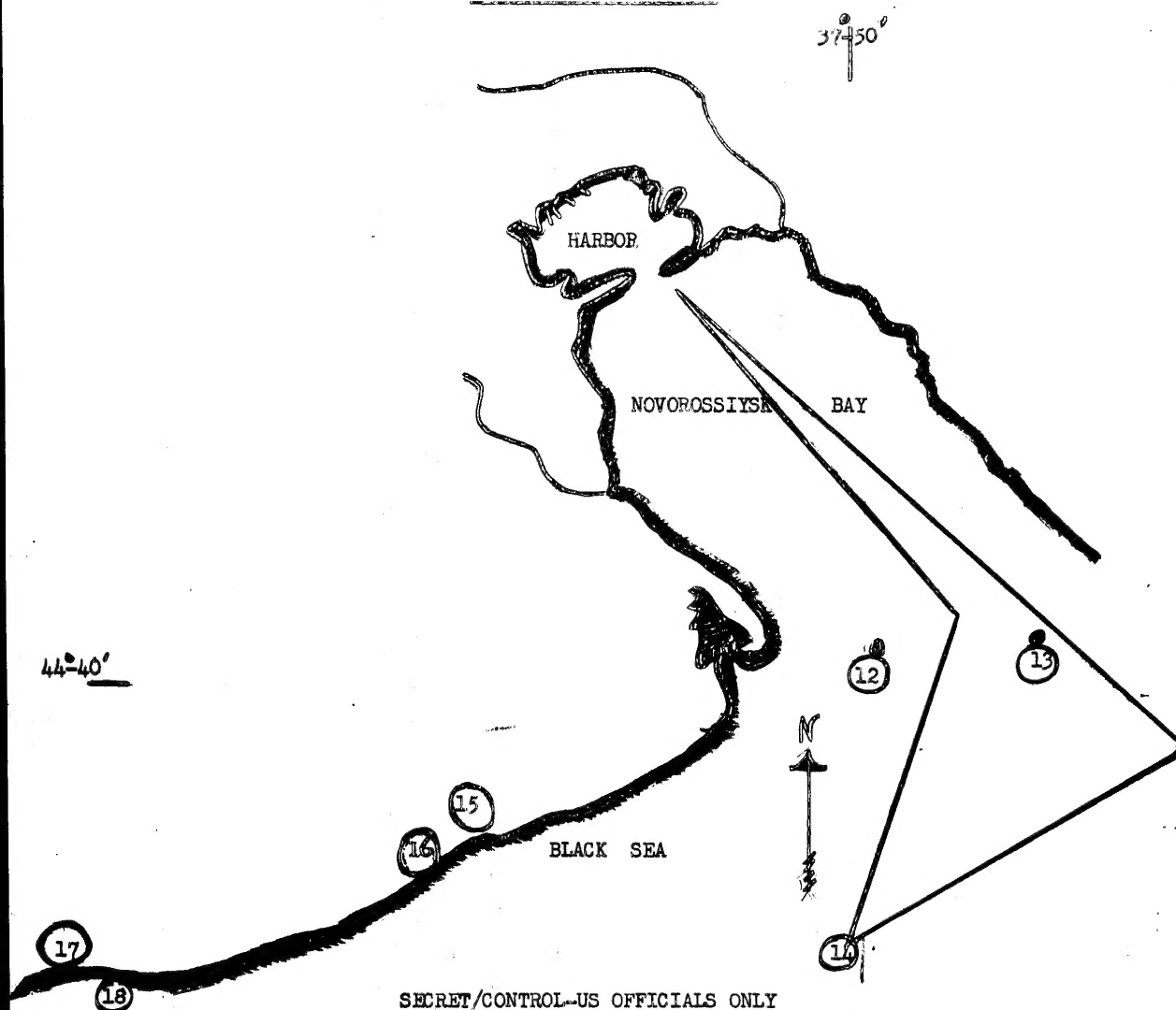
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- 12-13. Buoys are situated at these positions. The surrounding water is shallow. (See Sketch No. 1 below.)
14. At this point, pilots board vessels which then proceed to port via either of the routes drawn on the sketch.
15. Observation tower. A sentry or watchman is on continuous duty.
- 16-17. Searchlights are located at these approximate positions.
18. This area, which informant believes is situated east of the mouth of the Ozereyka River (N 44-40, E 37-37), provides good anchorage during periods of northeasterly winds. The bottom sediments are composed of mud and clay. The terrain along the coast is mountainous. During the periods of strong northeasterly winds, ships that cannot be accommodated in the harbor of Novorossiysk can anchor in this area. However, non-Soviet vessels must receive permission to use this anchorage, as the terrain to the north of the anchorage, which informant called "Ozereyka" is a military area.

SKETCH NO. 1
NOVOROSSIYSK BAY AREA



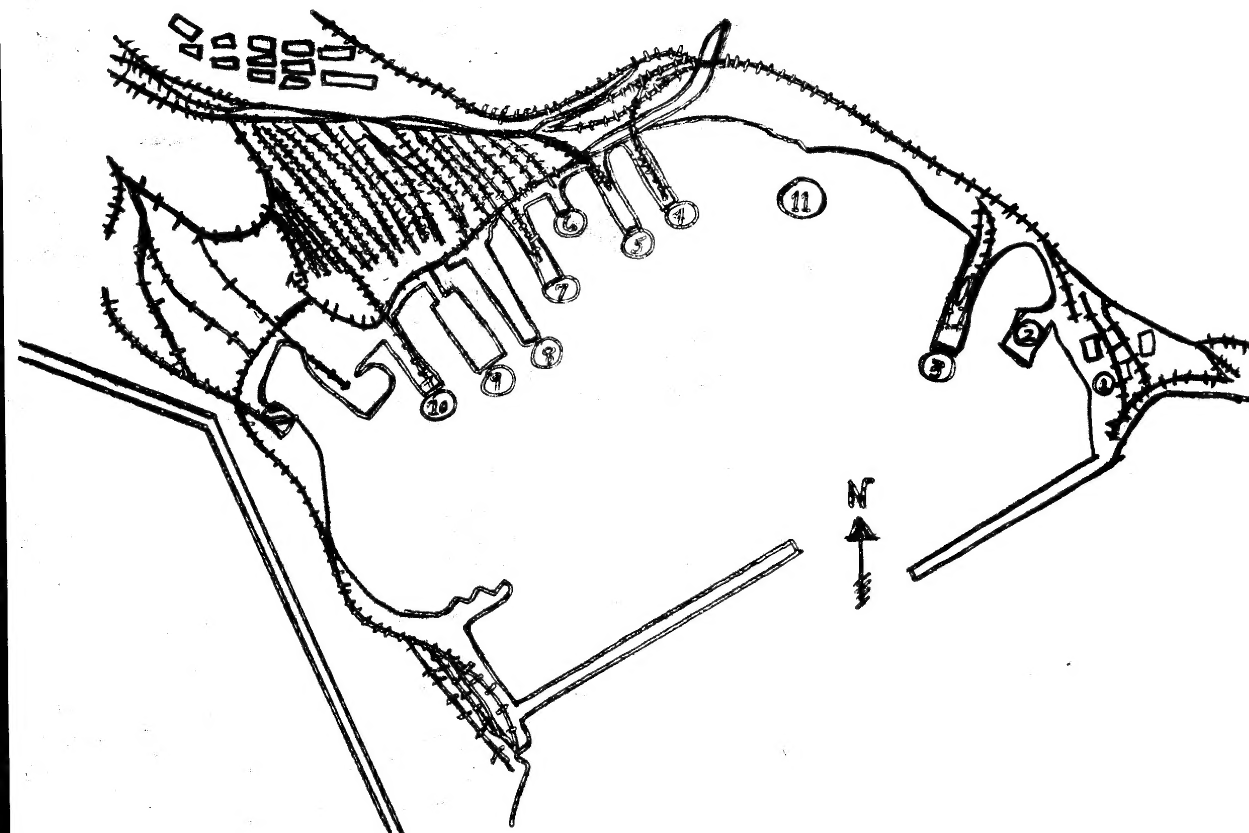
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SKETCH NO. 2
NOVOROSIYSK PORT



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